

(SRI S. M. KRISHNA)

Filling up The Post of Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore

769. Sri BAPU GOWDA (Shahapur).—

Will the Chief Minister be pleased to state :—

(a) since when the post of Assistant Commissioner of Bangalore is vacant :

(b) the reasons for not filling up this post immediately ?

Sri D. DEVARAJ URS (Chief Minister).—

(a) The post is not vacant at present.

(b) Does not arise in view of reply to Clause (a).

Calling Attention to Matters of Urgent Public Importance

(i) *re* : non availability of grazing land for cattle in Haliyal Taluk.

Sri V. M. GHADI (Haliyal).—I beg to call the attention of the Hon. Minister for Agriculture and Forests to the non-availability of grazing land for village cattle at Haliyal Taluk.

Sri K. H. PATIL (Minister for Agriculture and forests).—

The Forest area of Haliyal Taluk is 327.18 sq. miles of which 224.54 sq. miles is under forests. The West Coast Paper Mills have been leased 156.19 sq. miles of forest area for exploitation of bamboos.

Mature bamboo had died in this belt about decade back and the new regeneration from the seeds take a few years to establish. In the early years the regeneration of bamboo is avidly browsed by cattle and thus needs protection. Bamboo is necessary not only for the paper industry but also for the public. Hence it is in the interest of Government that the new regeneration of bamboo is protected and allowed to establish. The West Coast Paper Mills were hence permitted to fence some extent of the leased area at their cost. This was allowed on the express condition that it shall not prejudicially affect the privileges enjoyed by the local population. In consideration of this, the fencing is not continuous but openings are made. The breaks allow the village cattle to graze, while at the same time it restricts free movement of cattle all over the area. The restricted movement is confined to 56.35 sq. miles while over 37.20 sq. miles grazing can take place quite freely even within the overall fenced area.

Suitable instructions are being issued to see that the privileges of the local population are in no way infringed.

It may be made out that while over 56.35 sq. miles grazing is permitted though on a restricted scale there are no restrictions on grazing in the balance area of 168.19 sq. miles of Forest.

2-00 P.M.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಎಂ. ಘಾಡಿ.—ದಾಂಡೇಲಿ ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಟರಿಯವರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಹಿಂದಿದ್ದ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಎಷ್ಟು ವರ್ಷಗಳವರೆಗೆ ಅಗ್ರಿಮೆಂಟ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದರು ? ಅವರಿಗೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ತಂತೀ ಬೇಲಿ ಹಾಕುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಇದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಚ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.—ಈ ಕರಾರು 1989 ರವರೆಗೂ ಇದೆ. ಅವರಿಗೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇಲಿ ಹಾಕಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕರಾರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಏನೂ ನಮೂದಾಗಿಲ್ಲ. ಆದರೆ ಅವರು ಬೆಳೆನತಕ್ಕ ಬದಿರನ್ನು ದನಗಳು ತುಳಿದು ಹಾಳುಮಾಡುತ್ತವೆಂದು ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇಲಿ ಹಾಕಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಆದರೆ ನಾವು ಅವರಿಗೆ ದನಕರುಗಳಿಗೆ ಮೇಯುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಆ ಜಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಅವಕಾಶ ಕೊಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ನೇರವೇ ಇದೆ. ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವರೂ ಒಪ್ಪಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಎಂ. ಘಾಡಿ.—ತಾವು ಈಗ ತಾನೇ ತಮ್ಮ ಹಳ್ಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದಂಥ 37.20 ಚ. ಮೈ. ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ದನಗಳ ಮೇವಿಗಾಗಿ ಯಾವಾಗ ರಿಲೀಜ್ ಮಾಡಲಾಯಿತು ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಚ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.—ಇಲ್ಲಿಗೆ ಎರಡು ತಿಂಗಳಾಯಿತು.

ಒಬ್ಬ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರು.—ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಹಾಕಿರತಕ್ಕ ತಂತೀ ಬೇಲಿಯನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದರೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ವನ್ಯ ಮೃಗಗಳಿಗೆ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಚ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.—ಅವುಗಳಿಗೇನೂ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಊರಿನ ದನ ಕರುಗಳಿಗೆ ಮೇಯಲಕ್ಕೆ ಬೇಲಿಯನ್ನು ತೆಗೆಯಬೇಕೆಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಎಂ. ಘಾಡಿ.—ಬದಿರನ್ನು ದನಗಳು ತಿನ್ನುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಕತ್ತರಿಸಿ ಹಾಕಿದರೂ ತಿನ್ನುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಮಂಗಳ ಕಾಟಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಬೇಲಿ ಹಾಕಿರಬಹುದು. ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಪೂರ್ಣವಾಗಿ ಬೇಲಿಯನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಹಾಕುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಆದೇಶ ಕೊಡುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಚ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.—ದನಕರುಗಳು ಬದಿರು ಎಳೆಯದಾಗಿರುವುದನ್ನು ತುಳಿದು ನಾಶಮಾಡುತ್ತವೆಂದು ಬೇಲಿಹಾಕಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಜಾನುವಾರುಗಳಿಗೆ ಮೇವಿಗೆ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗ ಬಾರದೆಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

(ii) *Re : Attack on Harijan huts in Hanumaiahnapalya of Parvathapura Village, Kudur Hobli, Magadi Taluk.*

Sri M. H. JAYAPRAKASH NARAYAN (Sirsi).—Madam Speaker, I rise to call the attention of the Hon'ble Chief Minister to the attack on Harijan huts in Hanumaiahnapalya of Parvathapura Village, Kudur Hobli, Magadi Taluk.

Sri D. DEVARAJ URS (Chief Minister).—I state as follows :—

The land in Survey Number 16, and measuring 10 acres and 30 guntas, in Parvathapura village in Kudur Hobli, Bangalore District, was sold by its owner Sri Ramaswamy Sastry, son of Narasimha Sastry to Sri Nizammuddin, S/o Abdul Rehman, a Unani doctor of Kudur on 25-12-1967 for a sum of Rs. 5,000. According to Sri Ramaswamy Sastry and Sri Nizammuddin, this land, prior to its sale had been mortgaged by the former to one Sri Lingappa for Rs. 8,00.

2. Sri Hanumaiah, S/o Sri Kempaiah, has, in a Statement made before the Station House Officer, Kudur Police Station stated that he has been cultivating this land as a tenant for a number of years and living in a shed on this land. He has stated that he had been cultivating this land even when it had been mortgaged to Sri Lingappa by Sri Ramaswamy Sastry. He had learnt that the land had been sold to